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**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
(Case No. 02,957)

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

Rajamohana Hegde, et al.

Serial No. 10/603,388

Filed: June 24, 2003

Title: Method and Apparatus for Delayed Recursion Decoder

Examiner: To Be Assigned

Group Art Unit: 2631

**STATUS INQUIRY**


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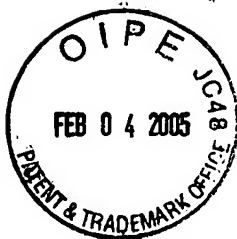
Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request an indication of the status of the above-referenced application. This application was filed on June 24, 2003. However, to date, the Applicants have not received an office action. Applicants would gratefully appreciate receiving a written communication indicating when Applicants may expect to receive a first office action on this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 1, 2005

  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a) Status Inquiry; and
  - b) Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
  - a) No fee is required.
  - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on February 1, 2005.

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